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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 USC 111 and 37 CFR 1.53 is the ☐ Design ☒ Utility patent application of:

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ENTITLED: METHOD OF TREATING LATEX ARTICLES AND
ARTICLES PRODUCED THEREBY

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 14 page(s) of written description, claims and abstract.
☐ sheet(s) of drawings.
☐ An assignment of the invention to
☒ Executed declaration of the inventor(s).
☐ A certified copy of a application. Priority is claimed if not already of record.
☒ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.
☐ Information Disclosure Statement w/copies of references.
☒ Certificate of Express Mailing and Return Receipt Postcard.

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